

Commissioners of Iredell County shall order a special election to be held in any such school district or in any such special bond tax unit for the purpose of voting upon the question of issuing bonds and levying a sufficient tax for the payment thereof for the purpose of acquiring, erecting, enlarging, altering, and equipping school buildings and purchasing sites in such district or unit, or for any one or more of said purposes. In all such elections the Board of County Commissioners shall designate the polling place or places, appoint the registrars and judges, and canvass and judicially determine the results of the election upon the filing with it of the election returns by the officers holding the election, and shall record such determination on their records. The notice of election shall be given by publication at least three times in some newspaper published or circulating in such district or such unit. The notice shall state the date of the election, the place or places at which the election will be held, the boundary lines of such district or of such unit, unless the district or unit is coterminous with a city, town or township (in which event the notice shall so state), the maximum amount of bonds to be issued, the purpose or purposes for which the bonds are to be issued, and the fact that a sufficient tax will be levied on all taxable property within the district or unit for the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds. The first publication of the notice shall be at least thirty days before the election. A new registration of the qualified voters of such district or unit shall be ordered and notice of such new registration shall be deemed to be sufficiently given by publication once in some newspaper published or circulating in such district or unit at least thirty days before the close of the registration books. This notice of registration may be considered one of the three notices required of the election. Such published notice of registration shall state the days on which the books will be open for registration of the voters and the place or places at which they will be open on Saturdays. The books of such new registration shall close on the second Saturday before the election. The Saturday before the election shall be challenge day and except as otherwise provided in this Act, such election shall be held in accordance with the laws governing general elections. The form of the question, as stated on the ballot or ballots, shall be in substantially the words: "For the issuance of \$..... School Bonds and the levying of a sufficient tax for the payment thereof," and "Against the issuance of \$..... School Bonds and the levying of a sufficient tax for the payment thereof." Such affirmative and negative form may be printed upon separate ballots, or both thereof may be printed on one ballot, containing squares opposite the af-

Conduct of election.

Notice of election.

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Publication of notice.

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